Virtual Travel

Experiences in a Post-COVID World

Virtual Travel Q&A

Want to learn more about virtual reality travel?

Josh Vignona provides answers a few common questions on the VR travel experience:





Is virtual traveling free?

While there are virtual reality tours and services that cost money, many VR travel opportunities are available for free, including many VR tours of cities, national parks, museums and local attractions.

What kind of equipment do I need to experience virtual traveling?

Most VR travel experiences are accessible with just a smart device and internet connection. Truly immersive virtual reality travel may sometimes require additional equipment, including high-resolution monitors and full VR systems, such as the Oculus Rift, HTC Vive or PlayStation VR.



What is a 360 Virtual Tour?

A 360 virtual tour is a 360-degree simulation of an existing park, museum, home or other location. 360-degree tours allow you to explore a given location from any perspective as though you were actually in the room.

Will VR traveling replace real tourism?

Virtual reality travel will likely never replace real travel, though it does provide an easy and cost-effective alternative to traditional travel means, as well as a level of accessibility that may make it a more desirable option well into the future. This article offers a more comprehensive look at VR travel and its potential impact on travel down the road.